

WOMAN WINS LEGION OF HONOR MEDAL

Mrs. Mary Morgenthau Decorated for War Relief Work.

Paris, Sept. 4.—The minister of foreign affairs on Saturday bestowed the decoration of the Legion of Honor upon Mrs. Mary Morgenthau, wife of the former American Ambassador to Turkey, in recognition of the work Mrs. Morgenthau did at the French Hospital at Constantinople early in the war. The minister thanked Mrs. Morgenthau in the name of the French government for her efforts in behalf of the French wounded and sick, saying it was largely due to her efforts that the French hospital at Constantinople had been able to accomplish the work it did and was continuing to do.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgenthau plan to sail for the United States on the first steamship leaving on which

they can obtain suitable accommodations.

Mrs. Henry Morgenthau left the United States on June 21, 1917, with her husband, who was head of the mission sent to Egypt to investigate the condition of the Jews in Palestine. Mrs. Morgenthau has always been very much interested in the work of the Red Cross, and has been actively identified since the outbreak of the war with many hospital interests in Turkey.

ALFONSO AS LAST KING.

Lisbon, Sept. 4.—The Spanish government has sent a note to the Portuguese Ministry for Foreign Affairs demanding that the Seculo, an important newspaper in Portugal, be called to court for publishing an article from its special correspondent in Madrid entitled "The Last Bourbon," in which it was foretold that the King of Spain would be the last sovereign of this line.

Portugal's Expenses \$10,000,000. London, Sept. 4.—Dr. Alfonso Costa, Minister of Finance, estimated in a statement made in Parliament that the war expenses in Portugal amount to \$10,000,000 per month.

SIX CENTS DAY SAVES 2 BILLION WAR DEBT

Rev. Joseph Krauskopf Says "Gardens" Have Helped America.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 4.—An annual saving on the war debt of \$2,000,000 can be effected if every one in the country will save 6 cents a day. This computation has been made by the Rev. Joseph Krauskopf, rabbi of Kenesseth Israel congregation, who has worked seven weeks with Herbert Hoover in organizing the food conservation campaign.

"War gardens have already saved millions for America by holding down the high cost of living," Dr. Krauskopf said. "Only eighteen days have elapsed since the food control bill gave Hoover authority, but already wonders have been accomplished. The campaign to grow and save food is evidenced by the back-yard plots; by the lessening demand for lamb; and by the lessening demand for market, and the reduced amount of

garbage. Potatoes would cost twice their present price, and there would have been dire distress from soaring food prices, if it had not been for the back-yard gardens.

On October 7 Hoover has planned to ask every man and woman in the United States to sign pledge cards, Dr. Krauskopf announced. These will be distributed through co-operative organizations, and will ask for one wheatless meal a day, two meatless meals a week, and wasteless meals every day. The pledge committees in each community will collect the cards and forward them to Washington, where the Census Bureau will arrange the pledges.

"If every man and woman will do duty and help win the war by conservation, no food dictator will be necessary," Dr. Krauskopf said. "If the country fails to respond, Hoover has the authority to establish a real dictatorship which will entail bread tickets, and approved bakers with rationing for everybody."

ANOTHER SOLDIER'S READING COURSE

(Issued by the War Department to The Washington Herald.)

Editor's Note.—This course of thirty daily lessons is offered to the men selected for service in the National Army as a practical help in getting started in the right way. It is informal in tone and does not attempt to give binding rules and directions. These are contained in the various manuals and regulations of the United States Army, to which this course is merely introductory. The lessons will appear daily in The Herald.

LESSON NO. 20. CLOSE ORDER DRILL.

Close-order formations are seldom used in actual fighting; nevertheless, they should be thoroughly mastered. They have been worked out during centuries of experience as the best means of training men in soldierly habits of thought and action. They teach precision, teamwork, and the prompt and unhesitating obedience which is so necessary to military control. The fact that you and your comrades are thoroughly drilled will be your best protection in the hour of battle. It will give every man confidence in himself and in his comrades and will insure steadfastness in the face of the enemy.

However, close-order drill will not yield these results unless it is learned thoroughly and practiced with snap and precision. You must drill, drill, drill. It is one of the most essential steps in your training. Enter these drills with enthusiasm. Try to make a distinct improvement every day.

Close Order Drill.

There are four sections or grades of close-order drill, which are called school of the soldier, school of the squad, school of the company, school of the battalion. The word "school" as here used, means a fixed method of training.

First of all, you will get the training included under the "school of the soldier." This training is in turn divided into two parts: instruction without arms and the Manual of Arms.

The very first thing you will learn is the position of the soldier, which has already been explained in lesson four, then you will be shown, among other things, how to face to the right or left or about in a soldierly manner, how to salute properly and how to march.

The Manual of Arms takes you a step further. It teaches you how to handle your rifle properly. It does not, however, include practice in firing or in bayonet combat.

In the school of the squad you will execute all the movements learned in the school of the soldier; in addition you will learn to keep your correct place in ranks, to stack and take arms, and to march as a squad. The school of the squad includes also some practice in extended-order drill.

The school of the company carries you still further in your training. In the close-order drill you will be taught to march in line and in column and to execute a number of simple but very important movements.

The school of the battalion in turn applies on a somewhat larger scale the movements you have learned in the school of the company. The commands of the major will be repeated to you by your own captain, or through him by your platoon commander.

The battalion is the largest unit in which an officer can make his commands heard and clearly understood by all the men; hence, it is the largest unit in which there is instruction in close-order drill. Regiments, brigades and larger units are controlled through orders given to commanding officers which they carry out by issuing other commands or orders to the officers or men immediately under their control.

A very important thing for you to remember is that this progressive training in the close-order drill is all based upon some very simple movements which you will learn in the school of the soldier and the school of the squad. If you get these basic movements right so that you can perform them exactly and promptly and you ought to be able to learn this in a very short time—you need have no fear of the complicated movements of the school of the company and the school of the battalion. In reality, these movements merely look more complicated, because they are carried out by larger bodies of men.

NEW YORK HOTEL ARRIVALS.

New York, Sept. 4.—Baltimoreans and Washingtonians registered at New York hotels follow:

Washington—J. D. Furlong, Miss R. Goldman and Miss A. M. Hagan, 122 Fourth avenue, thirteenth floor; Miss B. M. Devley, Miss O. Oetche, and Miss M. O'Leary, 220 Fifth avenue; J. Frank, Imperial; A. Goldsmith and S. D. Sampson, Greogorian; S. Juhn, 506 Broadway; Miss A. Lindman, Collingwood; C. M. Eytzinge and C. A. Miller, 254 Fourth avenue; W. U. Starkey, Imperial; and H. Weis, Herald Square.

Baltimore—B. Anoschenko and Mrs. W. Merritt, Continental; S. Askin, W. M. Miller, and M. Siegel, Albert; E. P. Brachner, J. M. Bushheimer, and H. Schlosberg, Breslin; Mr. and Mrs. S. Harris, Sam Harris, Miss J. Harris, R. McCoy and G. C. Mitchell, Navarro; H. E. Haeleop and S. T. Newton, Union Square; W. House and J. S. Kelley, Great Northern; Miss S. C. Islehart, Miss E. Kaine, Mrs. H. Naylor, and Miss G. Schzyner, Collingwood; J. S. Kelley, Great Northern; W. H. Lotz, Van Cortlandt; H. Merecan and R. Steinbach, Broadway Central; Mr. and Mrs. W. Merritt, Continental; W. C. Meyer, Latham; S. T. Newton, Union Square.

Sue Over Crossing Tragedy.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company was made defendant in two damage suits totaling \$20,000, filed in the District Supreme Court yesterday by Edmund S. Read, administrator of the estate of Sophie A. Read and Nellie D. Vinal, administratrix of the estate of Maria R. Vinal. The damage suits are the result of the death of Mrs. Vinal and Mrs. Read when a locomotive of the defendant railroad collided with an auto in which they were riding at the Berwyn, Md., crossing last July.

THE DAILY STORE NEWS OF LANSBURGH & BRO.



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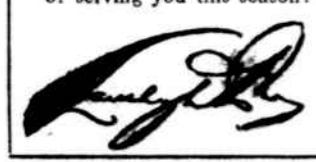
Editorial

Buy what you need—don't stint—don't be wasteful.

It sounds paradoxical, but is not.

The Store of Greater Service has gone ahead, as usual, and restocked for the coming season with the necessities needful to its patrons. Prices on various things have risen, on others we have, by foresighted purchases, been able to keep them normal. Assortments are better than ever and this year we know you will find that the service of this store has risen another notch—Forward.

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First Floor.

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Fourth Floor.

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First Floor.

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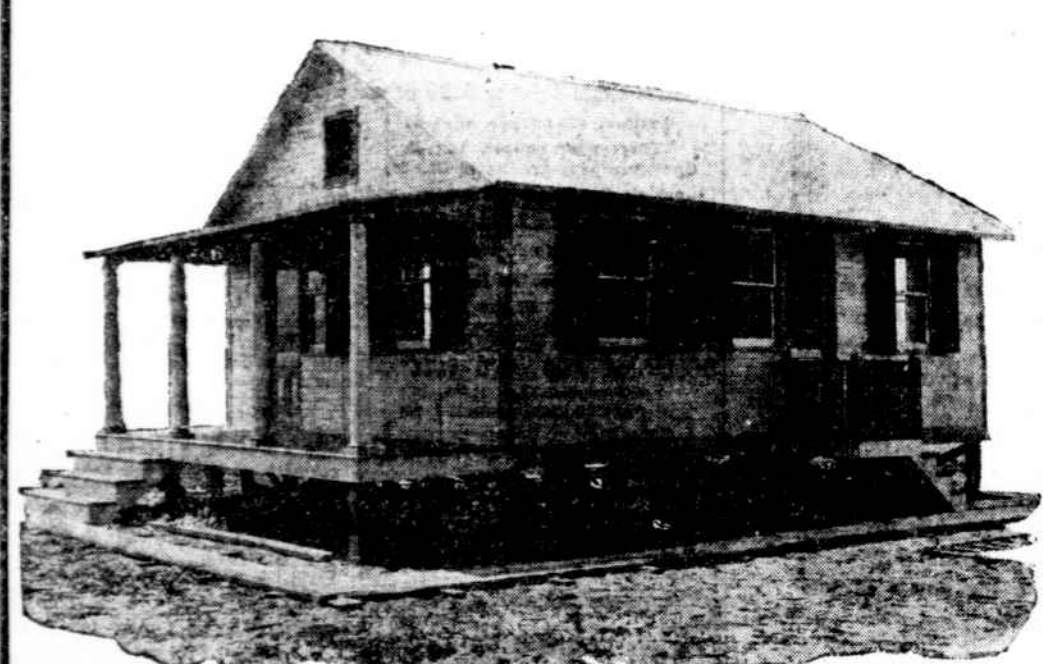
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